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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

GENE A. ALLEN,

Petitioner,

vs.

JAMES G. COX, *et al.*,

Respondents.

3:14-cv-00510-RCJ-VPC


ORDER

14 This action is a petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254, filed by
15 a Nevada state prisoner. On May 7, 2015, this court granted petitioner's motion for counsel and
16 appointed the Federal Public Defender to represent petitioner in this action (ECF #30). On June 8,
17 2015, Ryan Norwood of the Federal Public Defender's Office appeared on behalf of petitioner (ECF
18 #31). The court now sets a schedule for further proceedings in this action.

19 **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that counsel for petitioner shall meet with petitioner as soon
20 as reasonably possible, if counsel has not already done so, to: (a) review the procedures applicable in
21 cases under 28 U.S.C. § 2254; (b) discuss and explore with petitioner, as fully as possible, the potential
22 grounds for habeas corpus relief in petitioner's case; and (c) advise petitioner that all possible grounds
23 for habeas corpus relief must be raised at this time in this action and that the failure to do so will likely
24 result in any omitted grounds being barred from future review.

25 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that petitioner shall have **ninety (90) days** from the date of this
26 order to **FILE AND SERVE** on respondents an amended petition for writ of habeas corpus, which shall
27 include all known grounds for relief (both exhausted and unexhausted).
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IT FURTHER IS ORDERED that the parties **SHALL SEND** courtesy copies of all exhibits to the **Reno** Division of this court. **While the Local Rules provide that parties should send paper courtesy copies of filings over fifty pages, in this instance, courtesy copies may be in paper form or as PDF documents saved to a CD—so long as each PDF is clearly identified by exhibit number.** Courtesy copies shall be mailed to the Clerk of Court, 400 S. Virginia St., Reno, NV, 89501, and directed to the attention of “Staff Attorney” on the outside of the mailing address label. Additionally, in the future, all parties shall provide courtesy copies of any additional exhibits submitted to the court in this case, in the manner described above.


UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE